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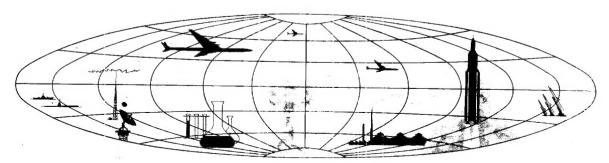
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IMMEDIATE PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION REPORT

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION REPRESENTS A PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS OF AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY FROM BRASS KNOB MISSION 3304, DATED 7 DECEMBER 1962. THE NUMBER APPEARING AT THE END OF THE HEADER LINE IS THE COMOR TARGET NUMBER.

-MISSILES-

SANTA CRUZ DEL NORTE CRUISE-MISSILE SITE 2309N 08156W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN VISIBLE PORTIONS SINCE HAZE AND CLOUDS PRECLUDE DETAILED

INTERPRETATION.

LA COLOMA SAM SITE 2218N Ø8332W

SIX LAUNCHERS CONTAIN MISSILES. NO MISSILE TRANSPORTERS OBSERVED IN HOLD REVETMENTS. NO APPARENT 25X1D

CHANGE IN SUPPORT FACILITIES SINCE

MATANZAS SAM SITE 2301N 08129W

SIX CANVAS-COVERED MISSILES ON LAUNCHERS, 4 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS AND 6 BOGEY TRAILERS OBSERVED. ITEMS IN GUIDANCE AREA ARE CANVAS-COVERED.

NO OTHER APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES SINCE

LOMA DE TIERRA POSS SAM ASSEMBLY AREA 23Ø1N Ø8213W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN NUMBER OF VEHICLES SINCE

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25X1D 25X1A BELLAMAR (MATANZAS AREA) SUSP SSM ACTIVITY 2302N 08133W NO MISSILE ACTIVITY OBSERVED. 25X1D MATANZAS CITY, LA CUMBRE ALTA 2304N 08133W NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY NOTED. 25X1D -AIRFIELDS-CORONEL PASCUAL AIRFIELD 2307N 08117W 25X1D AIRCRAFT -- NONE. NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES SINCE 25X1D -ELECTRONICS/COMMUNICATIONS-LIMONAR AREA, EW/GCI RADAR SITE 2255N Ø8126W NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE D 25X1D -MILITARY ACTIVITY-LIMONAR, PROBABLE TRAINING AREA 2256N Ø8124W NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE 25X1D

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MADRUGA POL STORAGE 2256N Ø8149W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN VISIBLE PORTIONS SINCE

SAN JOSE DE LAS LAJAS AREA, MILITARY CAMP 2255N Ø821ØW

ABOUT 125 VEHICLES OBSERVED. PREVIOUSLY NOTED ONE SMALL AND 3 LARGE TENTS HAVE BEEN REMOVED FROM THE AREA. NO APPARENT CHANGE IN PERMANENT FACILITIES AND DEFENSES SINCE

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SANTA ERIGIDA, MILITARY ACTIVITY 2304N 08137W

NO MILITARY ACTIVITY NOTED.

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-PORTS-

CARDENAS PORT 2302N 08112W

NO LARGE VESSELS OBSERVED. NUMEROUS SMALL CRAFT PRESENT.

NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT OR ACTIVITY OBSERVED. APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES SINCE

25X1D

LA COLOMA PORT 2214N 08334W

NUMEROUS SMALL VESSELS ARE IN PORT. NO LARGE VESSELS OBSERVED.

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN PORT FACILITIES SINCE

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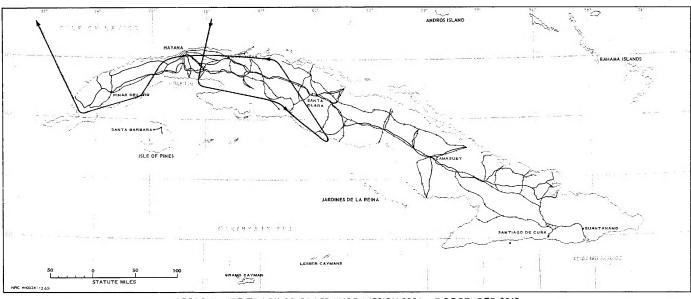
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MATANZAS PORT 2303N 08134W VESSELS -- 2 FREIGHTERS ARE DOCKED AT PIERS ON NORTH SIDE OF CITY. SEVEN CYLINDRICAL CRATES AND OTHER UNIDENTIFIED MATERIAL OBSERVED IN OPEN STORAGE ON NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES SINCE 25X1D 25X1A 25X1D SURGIDERO DE BATABANO NAVAL PORT 2241N Ø8218W VESSELS -- ONE PROBABLE FERRY, ONE BARGE, AND NUMEROUS SMALL CRAFT. NO APPARENT CHANGE IN PORT FACILITIES SINCE 25X1D 25X1D -LANDING BEACHES-MATANZAS BEACH 2302N 08126W NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE 25X1D VARADERO LANDING BEACH 2307N 08119W NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE

NO OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST TO REPORT.

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